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## SELECT SEED CORN

EARS FROM STALK THAT HAS NO NUBBINS GERMINATE BEST.

## MEANS DOLLARS TO YOU

**Twelve Ears Plant an Acre and Every One Should Be Absolutely First Class.**

Select your seed corn this week.

Get into the field and pick the best matured ears, from stalks that produced good ears and no nubbins, and add to the yield of your farm next season.

This is the gist of the advice contained in a Wabash circular addressed to farmers along its lines. The Wabash wants to increase the corn yield, which will increase the business done by the Wabash. Its motives are sincere and the advice contained in its circular is obtained from agricultural experts.

"Seed corn should be gathered now," says the poster. "Remember, it takes only about a dozen ears to plant an acre. Can we afford not to give each ear special attention?"

If seed corn could be selected before frosts have partially impaired its germinating powers, the yield per acre would be greatly increased. Much seed is planted bad because the ear, though cared for during the winter, was selected when corn was husked, after frosts and fall freezes had partially injured its germinating powers.

The poster says: Let us not forget the condition that so many of our farmers experienced last fall by having Jack Frost seriously visit the seed corn before we had secured that for next year's planting. Every farmer knows that low degrees of temperature will seriously injure his seed corn, especially when the corn contains a large amount of moisture. If we go into our corn fields right now it will be found that in the same hill, for example, you will find two stalks of corn each bearing an ear, each ear about the same size and possibly with the exception of maturity they will be practically equal, and yet one of them will have the husk turning brown, the corn well into the dent, matured sufficiently to pick the seed, while the other ear, although growing on a stalk in the same hill, will be found to be very immature, containing a high percentage of moisture and unfit for seed purposes.

Now, if you were to pick your seed corn today, what would you do? Why, of course, you would pick the well matured ear, and discard the other one. But suppose you do not get your seed corn now, but leave it until it is time to fill the crib, and you come to this same hill containing these two stalks with the same two ears. It would be impossible to tell which of the two ears matured before the other one and what will you do? Why, naturally take them both for seed. It would mean millions of bushels of corn in increased yields to the state if her farmers would go right out into the field this month (the month of September) and pick well matured ears right off the stalk.

It will not be necessary to take small, inferior ears. It will be found that there are plenty of large mature ears, if we look for them. When we stop to consider the fact that it only takes twelve ears of corn to plant an acre, it indeed is a very serious matter to leave this seed corn of ours out in the field on the stalk where Jack Frost is liable to beat us to it. Let us not forget the experience of last year. It is just good business that every ear of corn we use for seed be picked between now and the first of October. The large, well matured ears are there in your field, and whenever you select twelve of them you have enough to plant an acre.

It will not be necessary to run seed corn special trains next spring to illustrate the poor condition of the seed corn if our farmers will select their seed corn before the cold weather and hang it up in a proper place for storage.

Let us go into the best and earliest planted fields and select well matured ears from the most vigorous stalk, strip off their husks, tie them in strings of fifteen to twenty ears each, and hang them in the attic at once, where the circulation of air is good, and protection is had from the freezing nights of October and November. Let us abundantly provide ourselves so as to have plenty to select from next spring, and so that we may furnish some to our less fortunate neighbors who may have failed to save their seed.


*School Time is Nearly Here*

And we are better fixed than ever in the way of school books and all school supplies.

**Hotchkin's Variety Store**

106 South Main St.

**Brown Leghorns**

Pure bred Single Comb Brown Leghorn Cockerels, 50 cents each, if taken now while penned. Mrs. Roland M. Evans, Maryville, Mo. R. R. No. 4.

**Dr. Gertrude DuVall**

The Fitting of Glasses a Specialty.

114½ South Main Street.


## FILES SUIT FOR DIVORCE FRIDAY

Another divorce suit for the November term of circuit court was filed Friday morning by Attorney George P. Wright for Eva Fuller against H. E. Fuller. The petition states that they were married April 5, 1905, in Platte county and lived together until August, 1909, when the defendant abandoned and deserted and failed to provide for the plaintiff. The petition goes on to say that the defendant was convicted of a felony in the criminal court of Buchanan county and was sent to the penitentiary in May, 1907. One child was born of this union.

**Will Winter in Texas.**

Mrs. L. M. Fling left Thursday evening for Fort Worth, Texas, to spend the winter with her son Herman Fling, who is in the general merchandise business there. She was accompanied as far as Kansas City by her granddaughter, Virgil Merrill, who is returning to her home in Oklahoma City. Miss Virgil spent the summer with Mrs. Fling in the study of music.

**To Attend Funeral of Cousin.**

Mr. and Mrs. M. Nusbaum went to St. Joseph Friday morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Nusbaum's cousin, N. Strauss, whose death occurred Wednesday. Mr. Strauss is quite well known among the business men of Maryville, as he visited the city frequently as a traveling salesman. He has been not well for some time, but was seriously sick only a few days.

**Leased Joy Residence.**

Frank G. Shoemaker has leased the J. P. Joy residence on East Fourth street, known as the Wm. Feurt property. Mr. Shoemaker and his family will take possession the first of October.

**Back From Visit.**

Nick Schumacher returned Thursday evening from a several months' stay at Green Bay, Wis., with his brother. On his way home he stopped off in Chicago, and also St. Joseph.


**Water and Land**
**THE IDEAL**

Sunshine, climate, soil, markets, transportation, and an inexhaustible supply of water WHEN NEEDED form the IDEAL COMBINATION. For the first time in history such a combination has been made available.

The fact that crops are always sure, arrests the attention of farmers who have suffered from floods and drouths. With water always at hand, it may be applied when wanted. He may count on a daily round of sunshine that will make his well tended crops grow as they cannot be made to grow by any other method. There is no soil in the world, not even in Egypt, that can excell this soil in natural richness.

To the farmer tired of uncertain crops and the city man seeking the open air life of the farm, a plan is about to be proposed wherein he may become the beneficiary.

The plan briefly outlined tomorrow.


## DUCK SEASON OPENS

SHOTGUNS WILL BE IN DEMAND AFTER TODAY.

## PROSPECTS FOR HUNTING

**This Year Are Not Good Because of the Drought, the Hunters Say—November 1 the Big Date.**

It is lawful today in Missouri to shoot ducks, geese, brant and snipe—that is, if you can find the birds and are good at "winging" them, says the Kansas City Star.

Hunters are not very optimistic in speaking of the supply of game birds for this season. Because of the dry season it is not expected that very many hunters will be fined for shooting too many birds in one day.

Ducks especially are plentiful in Missouri in the western part as well as in the eastern sections. There are no new laws in Missouri governing the killing of these birds, although the old ones are stringent enough.

One hunter is not allowed to kill more than twenty-five ducks a day. He is not allowed to sell or ship any of them. If he attempts to carry more than fifty game birds home on the train with him, no matter how long he has been hunting, he will be fined.

The penalty for disobeying any of these sections of the game laws is a fine of $25 for the offense and a fine of $5 additional for every bird carried by the hunter above the number allowed by law. The open season for duck, geese, brant and snipe shooting remains until May 1.

The only complaint that hunters generally have against the game bird laws is that the dove and plover season opens September 1 instead of August 15. They say that all the dove and plover leave this section before the season opens.

The next big date in the eyes of hunters is November 1. It is then the big hunting season begins in earnest. The open season begins then for deer, of which a few can be found in Southern Missouri; otter, beaver, muskrat, turkey and quail. The season for deer, turkey and quail closes December 1. Hunters are allowed to shoot otter, beaver and muskrat until April 1.

## DEATH OF S. PRAISEWATER AT THE JUNCTION

Samuel Praisewater of near Fillmore, died at the home of his son, J. W. Praisewater, in Burlington Junction, Thursday morning. He was 81 years old, and in company with his wife came to Burlington Junction about two weeks ago for a visit with his son. A short funeral service was held Friday morning at the Praisewater home, conducted by Rev. Lane Douglass. The body was taken to New Point, where the funeral service was conducted at the Presbyterian church. Burial in the New Point cemetery.

**Off on Automobile Trip.**

Miss Marie Byers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Byers of this city, left Shenandoah Ia., Thursday, on an extended automobile trip with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Andrews, and Mrs. Andrews mother, Mrs. Isabel Oliver. They are making the trip in Mr. Andrews' car. Their objective places are Rapid City S. D. the Black Hills and Silver lake.

**Returned From Iowa.**

Mrs. Lafe Stamper and daughter, Miss Alma, have returned from an extended visit with relatives at Monroe, Des Moines and Oskaloosa, Ia. In August Mrs. Stamper attended a reunion of the Birkenholz family, of which she is a member, held at Monroe, where a large number of relatives assembled.

**Came to See Sick Sister.**

Mrs. Wm. Rutherford of Pickering came to Maryville Friday morning to see her sister, Miss Lante Moberly, who is a patient at St. Francis hospital. She also visited her son, H. L. Rutherford, and family.

**Visitors From Philadelphia.**

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Mosteller of Philadelphia, Pa., arrived in Maryville Friday noon to visit Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hutchison of West Third street. Mr. Mosteller is a cousin of Mrs. Hutchison.


Fine watch and jewelry repairing at Crane's.


## *News of Society and Womens' Clubs*

**Mrs. Robinson's Tea.**

The Thursday afternoon tea given by Mrs. F. P. Robinson for the pleasure of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Arthur Miller of Kansas City, was a delightful opening for the fall season's social life in our city. The house was beautifully adorned in autumn flowers. The reception hall was decorated in goldenrod, while the banisters and lattice of the stairway were wound and woven with red haw branches and goldenrod. Mrs. James B. Robinson received the guests in the hall. In the parlor, where the hostess presented her guests to the guest of honor, the decorations were of goldenrod and brown-eyed Susans. Assisting Mrs. Robinson in the parlor were Mrs. G. H. Colbert and Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker. The living room was made beautiful with ferns and pink asters. Punch was served here by Miss Bertha Beal, Miss Esther Shoemaker and Miss Maud McCluskey. Mrs. George L. Wilfley presided in the dining room, that was glorious in purple and white asters, the same color scheme being carried out in the serving. A large basket of lavender and white asters was the centerpiece for the dining table, the handle tied with a large bow of tulle in the same colors. Mrs. Ferdinand M. Townsend and Mrs. Charles T. Bell served, assisted by Mrs. George B. Baker and Mrs. James F. Colby. Miss Alma Nash's orchestra furnished music, and other delightful music was given by Miss Myrtle Sheldon, who sang several solos.

The out-of-town guests invited were: Mrs. James Shaack of Seattle, Wash., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank Bellows; Mrs. C. M. Taylor of Denver, Col., who is the guest of Mrs. V. W. Keene, and Mrs. Miles Saunders and daughter, Miss Esther Saunders of Pueblo, Col., who are visiting with Mrs. Saunders' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Sr.

The guest list included: Mrs. H. K. Taylor, Mrs. George Moore, Mrs. Edward L. Townsend, Mrs. Ferdinand M. Townsend, Mrs. George B. Baker, Mrs. E. L. Wolfert, Mrs. Wm. Wallis, Jr., Mrs. Lafe Allender, Mrs. W. R. Smiley, Mrs. Virgil Keene, Mrs. Vilas Martin, Mrs. F. M. Martin, Mrs. C. P. Luce, Mrs. H. L. Raines, Mrs. Nic Sturm, Mrs. Frank Shoemaker, Mrs. John Herren, Mrs. N. C. Covey, Mrs. Horace Leet, Mrs. Luther Forsyth, Mrs. James Colby, Mrs. Ernest Alexander, Mrs. G. L. Wilfley, Mrs. George Bellows, Mrs. Honnold, Mrs. Frank Bellows, Mrs. John Richey, Mrs. G. B. Roseberry, Mrs. Arch Frank, Mrs. F. C. Conrad, Mrs. G. H. Colbert, Mrs. David Munn, Mrs. Harve Booth, Mrs. O. L. Holmes, Mrs. Torrance, Mrs. J. W. Herron, Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Lee Harrel, Mrs. Frank Owens, Mrs. Harry Irwin, Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, Mrs. J. T. Karr, Mrs. R. S. Braniger, Mrs. Frank Reuillard, Mrs. Wm. Wallis, Sr., Mrs. C. Q. Smith, Mrs. W. H. Totterdale, Mrs. A. B. Hutchison, Mrs. C. C. Corwin, Mrs. W. F. Smith, Mrs. C. J. Miller, Mrs. Fred Jameson, Mrs. G. A. Nash, Mrs. J. B. Morrison, Mrs. J. C. Denham, Mrs. Geo. Worst, Mrs. Gallatin Craig, Mrs. Ray Wilfley, Mrs. Walton Frank, Mrs. R. P. Hosmer, Mrs. J. M. Hosmer, Mrs. L. Michau, Mrs. C. C. Graves, Mrs. Ralph Eversole, Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr. Misses Emma Lee Taylor, Mabel and Alice Martin, Rena and Clara Sturm, Bertha and Allie Beal, Lou and Jennie Garrett, Lulu and Mabel Todd, Clara Bellows, Esther Shoemaker, Nell Conrad, Kate Turner, Frances Smith, Myrtle Sheldon, Alma [illegible] Donna Sloan, Belle Worst and Maud McCluskey.

**Set Date for Bazaar.**

At the meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. William Funk and Mrs. T. K. Wray as hostesses, new officers for the coming year were elected. Mrs. Walter Mutz was chosen president; Mrs. Lillie Shelton, secretary; Mrs. J. S. Ford, treasurer. Plans for work were laid out and the date for the annual bazaar was set for November 16 and 17.

**Guests at Bennett Home.**

Mrs. Elmer Anderson and her little daughter, Anna Mary, of Creston, Ia., were Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bennett. Mrs. Anderson is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Clark of the Ream hotel.

**Met With Mrs. Lewis.**

Mrs. M. A. Lewis was hostess to the missionary society of the First Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. S. E. Farmer. The devotional service was led by Mrs. A. B. Gibson. A quiz on Japan was conducted by Mrs. J. A. Ford. A paper on "The Church of Christ in Japan" was read by Mrs. F. M. Martin. Miss Helen Leffler gave an interesting recital of her experience and work in the Brown memorial school at Mt. Vernon, Ky., last year. The Lord's Prayer and the offering closed the program. The social hour followed, when refreshments were served by Mrs. Charles Wadley and Mrs. Emery Airy.

**Dance at the Elks.**

An informal piano dance is to be given this, Friday, evening at the Elks club.

## MRS. MARKLEY SENT TO THE ASYLUM

A special called session of the county court was held Friday afternoon to hear the insane case of Mrs. Blanche Markley, who is 42 years old, and who lives in Old Guilford.

After hearing the testimony of Dr. Barrett of Guilford and of Mr. Markley, the husband of the woman, and of W. J. Beggs, the court made the order to have her sent to the insane asylum at St. Joseph. From the evidence, it was found that the woman could not be controlled and had made threats of killing several people.

It took five men to take Mrs. Markley to the county court room this afternoon from the Ream hotel. She had made up her mind that she would not go to the court room of her own free will, and these five men had all they could do to carry the heavy woman to the room.

Mrs. Markley was taken to the asylum on the Burlington train Friday afternoon.

## MRS. SCHAFER DIED FRIDAY MORNING

Mrs. Ida Allen Schafer, wife of Mr. Ben Schafer, a well known farmer living south of Maryville, died at St. Francis hospital Friday morning at 8 o'clock, after an illness of over four months.

The funeral services will be held at St. Mary's Catholic church Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Father Anselm. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery.

Mrs. Schafer was 33 years of age and was born at Cascade, in Dubuque county, Iowa. She came to Nodaway county about twenty-eight years ago with her parents, Michael J. and Sarah Newell Allen, who settled on the farm where she resided at the time of her death. Her parents died several years ago. Nearly eleven years ago she was married to her husband, who survives with their two little girls, Lorena, aged 7, and Katie, aged 4. Also three brothers and two sisters, John M. Allen, Joseph R. Allen and William J. Allen of the real estate firm of Allen Bros. of Maryville; Miss Delia Allen and Mrs. Curtis Mossman of St. Joseph. A twin sister of Mrs. Schafer, who was Mrs. Katie Skalbill, died a number of years ago.

**Went to Little Sister's Funeral.**

Misses Dollie and Katharine Parkinson, who live with their grandmother, Mrs. S. W. Davis, returned Thursday evening from Lenox, Ia., where they attended the funeral services of their 3-year-old sister, Sarah.

**Returned to Kansas.**

Mrs. G. H. Jones and son and daughter, Everett and Ellen, left for their home in Coffeyville, Kan., Thursday, after a visit with her son, Alfred Jones, and family, who live northeast of Maryville.

**Returned to Texas.**

Mrs. J. B. Russell left for her home in Estelline, Texas, Thursday evening, after a five weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Holt, west of Maryville, and her brother, Jack Holt, and family of this city.

**Deputy Postmaster Sick.**

Scribner Beech, Jr., the deputy postmaster, is confined to his home with a threatened case of typhoid fever.

**To Play Elmo.**

The Maryville Owls base ball team will play the Elmo team at Elmo Sunday afternoon.


Eastman Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.


## SUES HOLT FOR $5000

ONE FILED FRIDAY BY CLEMENT C. DOUGHERTY OF NEAR GRAHAM.

## ABOUT AN ELECTRIC FAN

**Petition States That A. J. Holt Injured Good Name and Reputation of Dougherty.**

A suit for $5,000 damages against A. J. Holt was filed Friday morning by Cook, Cummins & Dawson, attorneys for Clement C. Dougherty in the circuit clerk's office for the November term of circuit court. The suit is an outgrowth of an electric fan that was taken from the Crystal theater some time in May.

The petition says that the defendant, Holt, in June, contriving and intending to injure the plaintiff's good name, fame and reputation, made an affidavit before Justice of the Peace W. L. Johnson and also lodged a charge before Justice Johnson that one Emerson fan, valued at $26, was stolen by some person or persons, and that the defendant suspected that the property was concealed on the Jose Eckles farm, in Hughes township, where the plaintiff, Dougherty, was making his home. The justice of the peace, the petition goes on to say, issued a search warrant to enter the house and other buildings on the place, and that Deputy Sheriff R. P. Yeaman and an unknown person did, in the execution of said warrant, diligently search in each and every room, removed furniture, looked into drawers, and other buildings on the place and failed to find the property.

The petition further says that the fan was never in, on or about the Dougherty premises or in the possession of plaintiff or any member of his family, and that they never had any information concerning it.

The petition asks for $3,000 actual damages and $2,000 punitive damages.

## ATTORNEY CUMMINS VISITED JUAREZ

Attorney T. A. Cummins returned Thursday night from a business trip to Tucson, Ariz. Mr. Cummins went over into Mexico and visited the city of Juarez, the scene of many engagements during the recent revolution in that country. He was in the church that formed the center of a good many skirmishes, and says that although it looks very dilapidated it has been patched up some and services are held in it. It is said to have been built in the fifteenth century. Mr. Cummins had no desire to live in Mexico. He spent last Sunday in Los Angeles.

**Called by Sister's Illness.**

Mr. and Mrs. Braxton Browning of Pattonsburg were in Maryville Friday, going to Rosendale, where they were called by the illness of Mrs. Browning's sister, Mrs. Rebecca Grimes.

**Here From Mississippi.**

Frank Byran of Ocean Springs, Miss., arrived in Maryville Friday noon from a several days' business visit in Kansas City.

## The Weather

Generally fair tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature


**Not ANY Glasses**

Don't forget that there ARE Glasses that will do your eyes more harm than good.

The lenses for YOU must be ground to your measure, just the same as a druggist puts up a prescription.

Glasses chosen in any other way are a positive danger.

This point cannot be given too much emphasis.

It is as easy for you to get the right kind as the wrong.

We will choose them for you, and do it in such a way that mistakes are impossible. At

CRANE'S

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## MORE PROMPT ACTION NEEDED.

The prompt trial and conviction of Henry Clay Beattie is a high tribute to the efficiency of the court in the old dominion. Beattie has taken an appeal and may get a new trial, and on another trial might secure a lighter sentence or even an acquittal, but within two months after his wife was killed and all Virginia stirred by the terrible murder, his case is well on its way to its final conclusion.

Some one killed Mrs. Beattie in July, and in September Beattie was tried and convicted, regardless of the wealth at his back. Just now a saloon keeper is being tried in Kansas City for the murder of a man in 1906. What a travesty on the efficiency of law as sometimes administered. If the man is innocent, he deserved to be tried and freed four years ago. If he is guilty, he should have served four years in the penitentiary now. Continuances and changes of venue are used to defeat justice in ninety cases where they serve it in ten.

Prompt action discourages crime while delay encourages it. There is a perfect epidemic of shooting going on in Kansas City now because every blear-eyed degenerate can see that his companion in crime walks the streets scott free with bail hanging lightly over him. The courts' calendars are congested because all the time is taken up in tactics that delay. Without regard to the crime he commits, every man who shoots is guilty of carrying concealed weapons and subject to a term in the penitentiary for that.

It is needless to prate about needed laws and moralize on the frailties of human nature when justice becomes a jest and law is despised by every man whose diseased brain prompts him to right all wrongs, real and imaginary, by the pistol route. It is up to the courts to find means to bring cases to trial.

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A local printing concern distributed a lot of blotters this week containing a large number of guarantees, among which was "no errors." On the reverse side of the blotter is the word "successful," just by way of furnishing proof of the pudding.

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While Maryville is getting on the water wagon Maine is about to slip off.

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All scientists agree that September so far has been very warm.

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## BRAIN LEAKS.

(The Commoner.)

Beware of the man who smiles when he is angry.

The most serviceable knowledge is not acquired from books.

The first frost is a great reminder of a wasted summer wage.

The love that is purchased with money is not worth the price.

Experience is a dear school, but the matriculation fee is easy.

This is the season of the year when the grasshopper begins looking for the ant, and the young man for his uncle.

A lot of men have failed in their business because they paid too much attention to the business of other men.

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Miss Frances Schaffer of Denver, Col., who has been visiting the family of her cousin, John Schwartz, and other relatives for two weeks, left for her home Friday morning.

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Walter Wray left Friday for Columbia where he will attend the state university the coming year. Mr. Wray will take the agricultural course.

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**Latest stationery for correspondence at Crane's.**

## FROM CUCUMBERS, $125 AN ACRE.

### Wonderful Returns From Irrigated Farms in Montana.

Washington, Sept. 13.—The success which farmers are achieving on the Huntley irrigation project in Montana was attested in a report just received by the United States reclamation service, which shows $125 an acre had been realized from raising cucumbers. One farmer, who turns what cucumbers he and some of his neighbors raise into pickles, has orders from Montana towns for thirty-one car loads of these appetizers. The cucumber fields besides being profitable in themselves afford work for sugar beet laborers when they are not employed in the beet fields.

Seventeen new homestead filings were made on the Huntley project in the last month, leaving 103 farms, mostly 40-acre tracts, still available for settlers.

The report adds that 3,600 acres on the Huntley project were planted to sugar beets this year, and that the crop, which is now being harvested, will be large. Heavy yields in small grain are reported, but these returns are not yet sufficient to give actual figures.

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### Women Learning to Fly.

New York, Sept. 14.—Although both the Wright and Curtiss schools steadfastly refuse to teach feminine pupils at any price, woman is gradually forcing her way into the hazardous game of aviation, and followers of the sport are discussing with interest today the report that Mrs. Ralph Johnstone of Kansas City, whose husband met death at Denver, is soon coming to New York to master the craft that widowed her. It is understood that she will take lessons at the aviation colony on Long Island with a view to becoming a licensed professional aviator.

Today there are only two licensed women aviators in this country—Miss Mathilda Moisant and Miss Harriet Quimby—both of whom are now on Long Island. Blanche Scott has made some noteworthy flights but as yet has obtained no license. Miss Moisant took up aviation after the tragic death of her brother, John B. Moisant, at New Orleans.

France leads the world with more than a half dozen women aviators, and death has already claimed one of them, Mme. Denise Moore, while the Baroness Laroche, a flier of note, has been dangerously injured. Only yesterday in France Helene Detrieu flew more than 136 miles, establishing a record in the competition for the women's cup.

England and Germany each have one licensed woman aviator. In England the honor is held by Mrs. Maurice Howlett, wife of the well known novelist; in German by Miss Nellie Besse, a sculptor.

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### Here on Business.

W. A. Lippman and O. A. Field of the Jesse French Piano company of St. Louis, and also interested in the Field-Lippman music store of Maryville, were in Maryville Friday on business. Mr. Field is president of the Jesse French Music company, and Mr. Lippman is secretary and treasurer.

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### Left for California.

Mrs. Jesse B. Melton and daughter and her three sisters, Misses Anna, Wilma and Nellie Seig, left Friday morning for El Centro, Cal., where they will spend the winter with Mrs. Melton's daughter, Mrs. May Wilcox.

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### Left Daughter in School.

Mrs. Julia Mahoney returned to her home in St. Joseph Thursday evening, after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mahoney. She left her little daughter in St. Patrick's parish school.

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NOTICE—Parents should keep boys away from the machinery that is being used in drilling a well at the Mm. Everhart ice plant. Will not be responsible for accidents. Willis Reese. 15-16

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Mr. and Mrs. Loren Moore of Barnard visited in Maryville from Tuesday until Thursday evening with Mrs. Moore's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Alkire and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Craven returned Thursday from a few days' visit at Pickering with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Craven.

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Mrs. George Anderson and son, Lewis, went to St. Joseph Thursday evening to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shanks.

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Eldon Irvin returned Thursday evening from a several days' visit in Chicago.

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Edwart Otis went to Kansas City Thursday evening on business.

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Mrs. John Bays of Hopkins was in Maryville Thursday.

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John Shelton of Kansas City is in Maryville on a visit.


## GRAY HAIR MAKES YOU LOOK OLD

### Use Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and Your Gray Hair Will Quickly Vanish.

Gray hair is a mark of age, and nothing that can be said as to its beauty will offset the disadvantages of this mark of age set upon your brow.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy darkens the hair and restores it to its youthful beauty. Our grandmothers and their grandmothers before them used sage and sulphur for darkening their hair. Nothing has ever been found more effective for this purpose than these two time-honored remedies, but Wyeth, a modern chemist, has combined the two with other ingredients, which makes a delightful dressing for the hair, and which not only removes every trace of dandruff but promotes the growth of the hair. It also stops the hair from falling out, and makes it beautiful.

All druggists are authorized to refund the money if it fails to do exactly as represented.

Don't neglect your hair and don't resort to old-time hair dyes. Get a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur from your druggist today, and notice the difference in your hair after a few days' use.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Special agents, Koch Pharmacy.


## Todays Markets

### LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—2,500. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 200.

Hogs—12,000. Market weak. Estimate tomorrow, 8,000.

Sheep—12,000.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—1,00. Market steady.

Hogs—3,500. Market weak.

Sheep—None.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—300. Market steady.

Hogs—3,500. Market weak.

Sheep—2,400.

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### St. Louis Live Stock Market.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Sept. 14.—Cattle receipts, 3,800. Market strong. Nothing tonny; best steers topped $7.35. Looks like a good market for choice cattle next week.

Hog receipts, 6,000. Trade 5@10c higher; top, $7.40; bulk, $7.00@7.30. Uncertain.

Sheep receipts, 2,500. Market steady. Top lambs, $5.65; sheep, $3.50.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

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### W. O. W. Picnic.

The members of the Woodmen of the World and families will hold a picnic Sunday, September 17, at Whippoorwill club camp on 102 river.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gill, formerly of this county, now of Tacoma, Wash., are visiting old friends in the county. They have been gone from here about fifteen years. They are on their way home from visiting at Sheridan Wyo. and in places in Iowa.

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Mrs. R. J. Albright and daughter, Mrs. Erma Powers, and her little son left for their home in Wetmore, Kan., Thursday evening. Mr. Albright's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, remained for a longer visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Tarpley.

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Mrs. Mary Griffith returned to her home in Savannah Thursday evening from a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. A. T. Clark. Mrs. Griffith accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Anderson of Creston, Ia., to Maryville for a visit.

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Miss Helen Dunn of Bolckow arrived Friday noon and is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Frank. She will leave Saturday morning for Columbia to attend the state university.

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Mrs. J. S. Thompson returned from near Pickering Friday evening, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. A. T. King, and family.

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## Maplehurst

Maplehurst is now open to the public. One price to all. Board by week ..... $3.50
Ticket, 21 meals ..... 4.00
Single meals ..... .25
Sunday Dinner ..... .35

Menu Sunday Dinner, Sept. 17 from 12 to 1:30.

Watermelon

Salad — Iced Tomatoes
Fried Chicken — Cream Gravy
Mashed Potatoes — French Peas
Parker House Rolls
Boston Cream Pie, a la mode
Ice Tea — Milk — Coffee

Hanamo 49.

MRS. G. F. WOODARD.

## GOVERNOR M. E. HAY.

### Washington Executive, Who Speaks In Deneen's Stead at Conference.

## ETNA ERUPTION PERILS TWO TOWNS

### Castiglione and Francavilla May Be Swept by Lava.

Catania, Sicily, Sept. 15.—The 20,000 inhabitants of Castiglione and Francavilla turned their backs on their homes, fleeing before the advancing flood of molten lava from Mount Etna. Both towns are threatened with destruction.

The discharge from the crater and new fissures increases in volume. The main stream, pouring down the northeastern side of the volcano, has made its way sluggishly about and over the foothills toward the base, crossed the railway and invaded the valley of the Alcantara.

The front, fifty feet high and one third of a mile wide, broke over a long declivity and, gathering velocity, forced the peasant dwellers in its path to make a hurried retreat. It cut off the water supply of several villages. When the stream was within three miles of Castiglione and Francavilla the people collected their portable property and made for the higher places.

## FIRE DAMAGES CAR SHOPS

### Starts in Coach Shop and Spreads to Five Other Buildings.

Indianapolis, Sept. 15.—Fire partly destroyed a group of five buildings of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railroad shops at Brightwood, a suburb. The loss is $300,000.

The flames broke out in a coach shop and spread rapidly through the adjoining buildings, none of which was of more than two stories. The 500 workmen in the shops fled from the fire, that was fed by piles of dry wood and tanks of paint, and all escaped.

Machinery was warped and walls cracked by the heat. Six coaches in a repair shop were burned. Many passenger and freight cars in the yards were pulled out of danger. The fire department saved the remaining five buildings of the shops.

## FINED FOR CHICKEN THEFT

### Englewood Man Worth $100,000 Escapes Jail Sentence.

Chicago, Sept. 15.—William Beier, a retired Englewood merchant, said to be worth $100,000, was fined $25 and sentenced to one month in jail on a charge of stealing two dressed chickens from a commission house, but later the jail sentence was suspended.

State Senator Carl Lundberg, a close friend of Governor Deneen, appeared as a character witness for Beier.

## POISONED GUM FOR CHILDREN

### Alleged Attempt at Murder Causes Trial of Missourian.

Fulton, Mo., Sept. 15.—Jeff Woods, charged with attempting to poison members of the family of Edward McPheeters of this city with chewing gum containing poison, was placed on trial in the circuit court. A hundred witnesses have been summoned to testify in the case. McPheeters' children found sticks of the gum in the front yard of their home.

### Harvests the Wrong Crop.

Panora, Ia., Sept. 15.—Parish Johnson, a day laborer, is trying to collect wages for cutting and shucking the wrong field of corn. He contracted to do the work for William Frazer, but by mistake cut a field belonging to Isaac Young. Neither will pay the bill and Johnson threatens to sue the latter.

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**Kills Wife, Mother-in-Law and Self.**

Lawrence, Kan., Sept. 15.—Dr. C. C. Payne of Eudora, Kan., shot and killed his wife and his mother-in-law, Mrs. M. E. Smith, and then committed suicide. The couple had separated and Mrs. Payne had taken her two children to the home of Mrs. M. Rodgers in this city, where the shooting occurred.


*Just what you are looking for, a labor saver for the farmer. Nothing to break or get out of order*

*Automatic Lock*

*Call and get one at*

*Hudson & Welch*
*North Side Hardware Men*


## NOTICE

All automobile drivers will take care to run at a reasonable rate of speed and sound a warning where the road is obstructed from view when traveling on rural mail route No. 3. Enough said. J. S. Muntz, rural letter carrier No. 3.

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### Called by Father's Illness.

Mrs. J. S. Daniel of Kansas City, who was called to Maryville by the illness of her father, H. Hunt, who lives with his son, S. S. Skinner, returned to her home Friday morning.

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### GOOD STOMACH?

**Keep a Box of Mi-o-na in Your House and You'll Always Have One.**

Some people eat too much, some drink too much, and hundreds of thousands of men smoke too much—especially in the evening.

Use discretion if you can, but if you can't, use wisdom. Take two Mi-o-na stomach tablets before you go to bed and you'll awake minus a headache in the morning.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets are guaranteed to end indigestion, acute or chronic; to promptly banish gas, heartburn, sour risings, etc. They are the best remedy for dizziness, biliousness, nervousness, headache, constipation, vomiting of pregnancy, car or sea sickness, foul breath, nightsweats, bad dreams, coated tongue, languid feeling.

And a box only costs 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.


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**Latest post cards, 1 cent each, at Crane's.**

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Byers returned Friday noon from a visit near Graham with Mr. Byers' daughter, Mrs. Alfred Hayworth.

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Mrs. Donald Cady returned to her home in St. Joseph Friday morning.

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### Every Scholar Should Commit This to Memory.

1. Three little words you often see,
   Are articles a, an, and the.
2. A noun is the name of anything,
   As school or garden, hoop or swing.
3. Adjectives, the kind of noun,
   As great, small, pretty, white or brown.
4. Instead of nounse the pronouns stand—
   Her hair, his face, your army, my hand.
5. Verbs tell of something to be done—
   To read, count, laugh, sing, jump or run.
6. How things are done the adverbs tell,
   As slowly, quickly, ill or well.
7. Conjunctions join the words together,
   As men and women, wind and weather.
8. The preposition stands before
   The noun as in, or through the door.
9. The interjection shows surprise,
   As oh! how pretty, ah! how wise.
   The whole are called nine parts of speech
   Which reading, writing, speaking teach.

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Although we are having summer weather, winter is sure to come. I have prepared for the same with a nice line of fall and winter hats for both young and old. I try to have what you want at the lowest prices quality permits. Never fail to come and inspect my line before buying.

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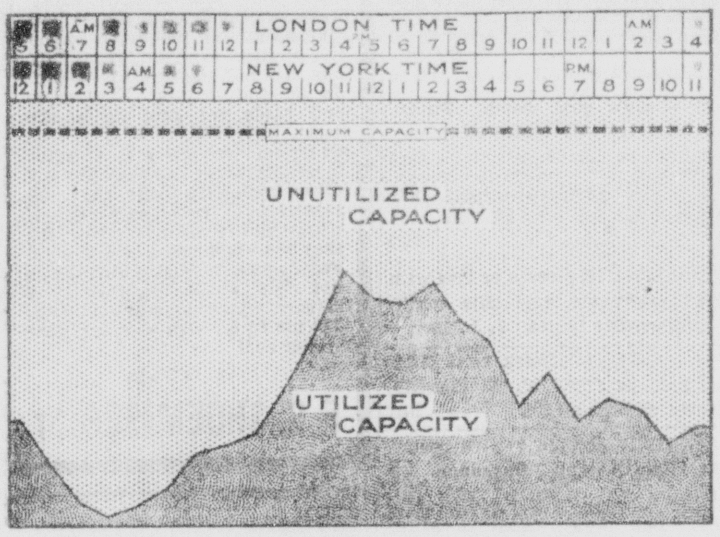
# Trans-Atlantic Cable Business




Traffic Chart of Western Union, Anglo-American and Direct U. S. Cable Business, Showing Capacity of the Cables and the Proportion Now Utilized.

## Proposed Modification of Existing Arrangements

A provisional modification of an arrangement which has existed for many years has been reached between the Western Union Telegraph Company, The Anglo-American Cable Company and the Direct U. S. Cable Company, under which the cable systems of these companies now worked exclusively in business connection with each other, but operated and maintained separately, will be operated in direct physical connection with each other and with the Western Union land system.

Two objects are to be attained by this arrangement:

*First, more efficient and economical operation.*

*Second, the introduction of new forms of service to the advantage of the public.*

### *The Trans-Atlantic Cable Situation and Competition*

The trans-Atlantic cable situation is as follows:

The Mackay group of seven cables, including the German cables, owned by or worked in physical connection with the telegraph lines of that company form one system.

The French cables comprise an independent system, using both the Western Union and the Mackay land lines for their United States connection.

In competition with these is the Western Union group of cables, eight in all, owned by three separate companies, two of which are British companies owning five of the eight cables.

*Two only of the British owned cables terminate in the United States and all of them are entirely dependent on the Western Union for their connection with any telegraph system, or for their reaching any centre of business, and are now worked exclusively, so far as business is concerned, with the Western Union.*

### *Efficiency Increased, Waste Prevented*

The proposed arrangement between the Western Union, the Anglo-American and the Direct U. S. companies will bring the eight cables of the three companies under one operating control. The consequent increase in effectiveness and economy will place the Western Union in a position to offer certain advantages in cable service not now enjoyed by the public.

The other way open to enable the Western Union to make such improvements and introduce such new services as it proposes to do, would be to lay new cables. This would seem to be the height of folly. Duplication of the existing trans-Atlantic cable facilities at a cost of many millions, when there are more than ample facilities for all business, would put an unnecessary financial burden upon an already fully burdened business and would probably postpone the reduction of rates or introduction of new services.

### *Limited Business Hours and Idle Facilities*

As at present carried on, the trans-Atlantic cable business is practically all flash service, *i. e.* instantaneous. Owing to the difference in time, there are only a few business hours of the day common to both sides and during these hours at least 75% of the cable business is done. This is demonstrated by the accompanying chart.

In the interests of international business nothing should be done to interfere in any way with the so-called flash or instantaneous service, and the lines should be kept clear to accommodate such messages during the few business hours common to both countries; but to continue to confine the cables to this class of service, as at present, will utilize only about 25% of the existing capacity of millions of property and places on that limited service all the capital, maintenance and operating charges.

The limited time and the character of the business, if best results are to be obtained, demand direct cable circuits between principal centres of the two sides of the Atlantic, as well as special circuits devoted to special business.

### *Efficient Service Requires Sufficient Facilities*

To meet these requirements it is essential not only that there be at all times sufficient cable facilities, under one control, but that they should be operated interchangeably with each other and in close physical connection with land lines as one system. Ample spare facilities are necessary to provide against the very frequent cable interruptions.

Neither the Western Union nor any one of the companies of the Western Union group has, independently of the others, facilities enough to handle the business which at times any one company might be called upon to take care of, because of some particular rush of business, or because of some cable interruption. Nor could any one company furnish all the direct circuits necessary for efficient service, although the combined facilities of these companies are ample if they could be used supplementary to each other and interchangeably.

As it is, each company operates its own cables through separate and distinct offices and under separate and distinct management. All interchange of business is by actual transfer of the business from one company to the other, with the consequent delay and interruption of a service in which seconds are valuable.

### *Daily and Week-end Cable Letters*

*So soon as the proposed arrangement goes into effect, the Western Union purposes, with the consent of the British Post Office Department, to introduce at least two new features or services in addition to the proposed deferred rate—the*

*DAILY CABLE LETTER*
*and the*
*WEEK-END CABLE LETTER*

*at a very low rate for cable service only. This will enable the public to save the six to eight days consumed in the trans-Atlantic passage of mails.*

### *Monopoly of Cable Business Impossible*

There is no cable monopoly possible. The three systems—the Western Union, the French and the Mackay—will continue to exist.

The Mackay Companies is a holding organization with no physical property, but exercising through stock ownership, lease or contract, operating control of various companies owning land lines and cables which make up the Mackay System. Through this control all the various properties are operated as one system to great advantage in service over what could be given by these same companies if operated separately.

The French cables form another system.

The Western Union System, under the proposed arrangement for one operating control over the present segregated units, will be enabled to make two distinct advances in the trans-Atlantic cable business:

1—*BETTER SERVICE.* This will be insured by more efficient and economical working resulting from single direction over the operations of both cables and land lines.

2—*PUBLIC ADVANTAGES.* The greater part of the cable capacity has been and is now unutilized. It will continue to lie dormant and unutilized under existing conditions and traditions. The Western Union purposes to make these wasted facilities useful to the public by means of new kinds of cable service.

In addition, the Western Union intends to nationalize its land lines by opening them to all trans-Atlantic cable companies.

**THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY**

**New York, Sept. 1st, 1911. Theo. N. Vail, President**

**Relative Sizes.**

"No man is bigger than his party," said the ready-made philosopher.

"Not now," replied Senator Sorghum. "But if parties keep on subdividing it may yet be managed."

**Superior Gift.**

Knicker—They say a criminal always returns to the scene of his crime.

Bocker—Well, it isn't everyone who can come back.—New York Sun.

**A Young Grafter.**

Stranger—Boy, will you direct me to the nearest bank?

Street Gamin—I will for a shilling.

Stranger—A shilling! Isn't that too much?

Street Gamin—Bank directors always get big pay, mister—Tit-Bits.

W. W. Jones returned Thursday night from a business trip to St. Joseph.

# STOLYPIN SHOT IN THEATER

## Russian Premier Falls Wounded Before Czar Nicholas.

## ASSAILANT AT ONCE ARRESTED

Third Attempt on Life of Statesman Probably Successful—Bullet Penetrates Body, Grazing Liver and Lodging in Spine.

Kiev, Russia, Sept. 15.—The Russian premier, P. A. Stolypin, was attacked while attending a gala performance at the opera. He was wounded twice by his assailant. One bullet entered his hand, while the other penetrated his body, grazing the liver and lodging in the spine. It is reported that the premier's wounds are mortal.

Emperor Nicholas was present in the theater at the time. The premier's assailant was arrested.

The two bullets were fired from behind by a lawyer named Bogrof. The audience tried to lynch the assassin. Some reports have it that a musician also was wounded.

The minister of finance, M. Koskovsoff, was sitting beside the premier at the time of the attack.

This is not the first attempt made on the life of Premier Stolypin. When he was governor of Saratov in 1905, three shots were fired at him, but without effect. On Aug. 25, 1906, a bomb was thrown while Stolypin, then premier, was holding a public reception at his country house on Aptekaraky island. The premier was slightly wounded. Thirty-two persons were killed and a still larger number wounded. Among the latter were the premier's fifteen-year-old daughter and his three-year-old son. At that time there was a reign of terror in many parts of Russia.

"Stolypin's necktie" became the synonym for the hangman's noose throughout Russia. He quarreled frequently with the duma and was victorious in his disputes with that body, owing to the confidence which the emperor reposed in him.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 15.—Alexander Stolypin, a political writer of the Novoe Vremya, who is a brother of the premier, received a telegram from Kiev saying that a bullet perforated the premier's lung. After the wounded premier was removed from the body of the house, the audience insisted upon singing the national anthem.

## CANADIAN FIGHT NEAR END

Opposing Forces Are Lined Up in Battle Formation.

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 15.—The opposing political forces are formally and legally lined up in battle array on the hustings of every parliamentary constituency in Canada, barring a few counties where polling will be held a week or more after the day of general elections, Thursday, Sept. 21. Parliament has a membership of 221, of whom 132 were supporters of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and eighty-nine opposed.

There were no unopposed nominations in Nova Scotia. Robert Laird Vorden, the Conservative leader, was renominated for one of the two Halifax seats. His cousin, Sir Frederick Borden, Sir Wilfrid Laurier's minister of militia and defense, was renominated in Kings county, and Finance Minister Fielding was again the standard bearer of his party in Queens-Shelburns.

The campaign in Nova Scotia is an animated one and many rallies will be held between now and next Wednesday night, the eve of the polling. Both sides claim they will improve their standing in the delegation to the house of commons. In the last election 56,588 voters in Nova Scotia supported the candidates of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and 54,500 were Conservatives. In Canada at large the Liberals polled a vote of 596,533 and the Conservatives 579,571.

## MISSIONARIES SEEK SAFETY

Situation in China Is Reported Becoming More Critical.

Peking, Sept. 15.—Cheng Tu remains isolated. The taotai of Chung Kiang reports that the situation at Cheng Tu is serious. The daily rice supply has been cut off and he fears that a shortage of provisions will precipitate disturbances inside the walls.

All approaches to Cheng Tu are held by rioters, the number of whom is being constantly augmented.

There are reports of disturbances at Sui Fu, where the British refugees recently arrived, and of fighting at Kiating, near by.

Violent anti-foreign rumors come from Wanh Sien, east of Cheng Tu, on the Yang-tse-Kiang, and a station of the China inland mission. This is a British mission. The American Baptist Mission union has a station at Kiating.

The missionaries generally are hastening to the nearest points of safety.

A Japanese gunboat is proceeding to Wanh Sien.

**Bohemian Dead After Quarrel.**

Beatrice, Neb., Sept. 15.—Following an altercation with his son while under the influence of liquor, Vaclav Heriok, a Bohemian, aged sixty-two, living six miles from Wilber, in the northwest part of Gage county, was found dead.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*NO shop in Northwest Missouri is better equipped to satisfy artistic taste in printing than the Democrat-Forum Job Department. The stock of paper we carry is so varied in kind and character that you seldom have to wait for paper, no matter what the nature of your job. Our presses are so numerous you don't have to wait on account of some other job being in first. Our type is the latest and newest in design in town, while our workmen are the most skilled to be found. Why, then, shouldn't we turn out your work good, and turn it out quick? We print anything from a poster to a visiting card—from a book job to a wedding invitation.*

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**Scores of Maryville Citizens Have Learned It.**

If you suffer from backache,

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The perfect way is to cure the kidneys.

A bad back means sick kidneys.

Neglect it, urinary troubles follow.

Doan's Kidney Pills are made for kidneys only.

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T. A. Murray, East Fourth street, Maryville, Mo., says: "Since using Doan's Kidney Pills some years ago I have been practically free from kidney trouble. I suffered from this complaint for some time. When I was told by a friend to try Doan's Kidney Pills, I immediately began their use, and prompt relief from my suffering followed. I do not hesitate to advise other kidney sufferers to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial, and I know this remedy can be relied upon."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

**Feed Chickens Beef Broth.**

Washington, Sept. 14.—"Milk or beef broth three times a day" is the prescription the department of agriculture officers as best for the fattening of chickens. The cost of this treatment, the department finds after an investigation, is 9.09 cents a pound of gain for the average cost of feed and labor for a large lot of poultry, the feed alone costing 7.10 cents. From fourteen to seventeen days are required for successful treatment. The bureau of animal industry has just issued a bulletin on the subject, giving complete data on the feeding of one hundred thousand birds.

**On Fluctuation.**

"Pa, what does it mean when you say that prices fluctuate?"

"It means, my son, that they go up and down. When it's something you've go to buy, the price goes up; and when it's something you've got to sell, the price goes down."—Judge.

Willard Nichols left Friday for a ten days' visit in Indianapolis, Ind., and also in Washington county, of that state.


**Stop Frowning**

Frowns are a pretty sure indication of weak eyes or defective vison — also that a good pair of glasses are needed; they will improve your looks as well as your eyesight.

**Wear Proper Glasses**

Glasses to fit your needs must fit your features as well as your eyes. We can do both to your entire satisfaction.

YOU WILL LOOK WELL AND SEE WELL IF YOU HAVE THEM FITTED AT

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JEWELERS & OPTICIANS
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**Apples Wanted**

I want to buy a few cars of choice hand picked apples. Place of business 1st door east of post office, Maryville, Mo.

J. W. Ray


**Exceptions.**

"How tall your husband is."

"Not always."

"My dear woman, what can you mean by that?"

"Whenever I ask him for money I generally find he is short."—Baltimore American.

Miss Grace DeLong of Conway, Ia., was a city visitor Thursday.


**Apples Wanted**

Bring your apples to my place, east side square, and get the highest market price. H. J. SCHAUB.
V. E. Davis, Agent.


Mr. and Mrs. James Ulmer of Hopkins came to Maryville Thursday evening to visit Mrs. Mary Ulmer.


# FREE REMEDY HELPS CHILDREN

Many a mother has learned of a way of avoiding sickness in her family, especially among the children, by the use of a free sample bottle of the famous laxative, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. This offer of the doctor's to send a free sample bottle has been responded to by thousands of women in all parts of America.

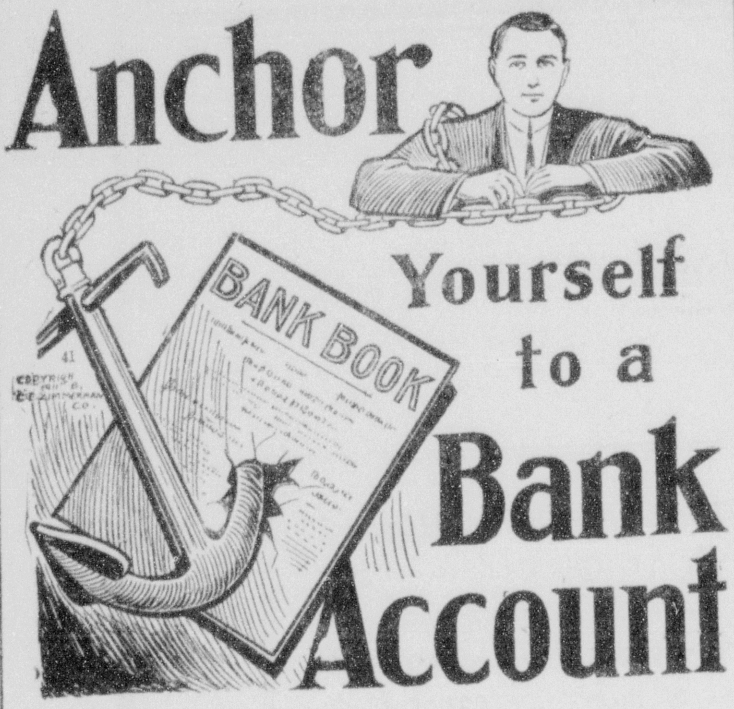
Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a truly wonderful laxative and especially adapted to the needs of babies and children because it is pleasant to taste and no child will refuse it. Then, it is mild and never gripes. It is all that a child's remedy should be, though it is a good laxative for the whole family because it is effective at all ages. It is not dynamic like salts, pills and powerful cathartics, which should not be given to children under any circumstances.

Nine times out of ten when a child complains and you don't know exactly what is the matter with it, it needs a laxative—its bowels are constipated. Syrup Pepsin will correct the trouble, tone up the child and soon it will be well again—wonderful results have been secured with Syrup Pepsin over night.

You can buy it of any druggist at fifty cents or a dollar a bottle, the latter being the family size, but you are invited to make a test of it first at the doctor's expense. Send him your address today and he will send you a free sample bottle direct to your home. Then when satisfied buy it of your favorite druggist.

For the free sample address him, Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 541 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

# Anchor Yourself to a Bank Account




A STEADY purpose in this life is one of the best aids to success. If that purpose be the resolve to save money your success will be *sure* and satisfactory.

A young man should anchor himself to a bank account as the first step to success. As his account grows so will HIS CONFIDENCE IN HIMSELF TO MAKE GOOD.

**NODAWAY VALLEY BANK**
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CAPITAL - - - - - $100,000.00
SURPLUS - - - - - $22,000.00


Miss Agnes Durbin of Sharpsburg, Ia., was in the city Friday on business.

Miss Marguerite Conway returned Thursday evening from a visit with her parents in Clyde.


## Flowers

For any occasion at all seasons of the year. Ferns of all different sizes for all purposes. We sell better winter flowering bulbs for the money than you can obtain anywhere.

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**The Koch Pharmacy Guarantees Parisian Sage, the Real Hair Remedy.**

You can abolish every particle of dandruff, you can stop itching scalp, you can prevent hair from thinning or falling out by using Parisian Sage, which is sold on money back plan.

Parisian Sage soaks into the roots of the hair, and not only destroys the microbes that cause hair troubles but furnishes to the hair just the kind of nourishment to make hair grow luxuriant and to put life and beauty into it. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every cartin and bottle of Parisian Sage. Look for it, as imitations are numerous. Large bottle 50 cents at the Koch Pharmacy and druggists everywhere.



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# GOVERNORS RAP SANBORN RULING

## Criticism Pronounced on Doctrine Therein Propounded.

## COMMITTEE TO BRIEF THE CASE

Harmon, Aldrich and Hadley Are Named Upon It—Governor of Nebraska Makes Address on Rate Regulation at Spring Lake Conference.

Spring Lake, N. J., Sept. 15.—The governors' conference adopted a resolution appointing Governors Harmon of Ohio, Hadley of Missouri and Aldrich of Nebraska a committee to file a brief of protest on behalf of the governors of the United States with the federal supreme court against affirmation of Judge Sanborn's decision in the so called Nebraska case.

The hall was crowded with the wives, daughters and female friends of the executives of the various states. It was an occasion when the advocates of suffrage held the stage.

Mrs. Van Winkle read a petition to the governors. Representing the militant wing of the party, she demanded that each state executive, including Governor Woodrow Wilson, come into the open with his views and "in the light of pitiless publicity" align himself with one side or the other of the question.

No formal action was taken and Mrs. Van Winkle sat down amid applause.

Nevada's divorce laws need revision and improvement, according to its governor, Tasker Odie, who is ill of appendicitis and unable to attend the meeting, but who sent a telegram to Secretary Jordan voicing his views

**Governor Aldrich Speaks.**

Governor Herbert S. Hadley of Missouri spoke on "The Right of the State to Fix Interstate Traffic Rates." He was followed by Governor Aldrich of Nebraska.

Governor Aldrich made a plea for state authority in the regulation of public utilities and gave the results of the operation of the Nebraska rate law to illustrate his argument.

"We have just read in a recent decision of nation-wide importance," said he, "where our supreme court has gone into the legislative business. It is now becoming quite the thing for federal courts of inferior jurisdiction to the supreme court of the United States to invade the province and rights of these sovereign states by subterfuge and cunning device, and tie up generally the government of the states, depriving them of their right to control their own internal commerce.

"I am here to say that the legislation of today, as carried on and regulated by the several states of this union is, in the main, just and equitable and fair and that railroad companies doing business today under these regulations are prosperous.

"As a notable instance of this I call your attention to my own state in its regulation of the common carriers therein. I here make the assertion that under the regulation through the freight rate law, the passenger rate law and the railway commission the railroads of the state of Nebraska are on a better business basis and on better terms with the people of the state and do business with them more satisfactorily than they have ever done before in the history of their existence."

**What Nebraska Will Do.**

"I know not what other states may do; I know not what other states may think. But I can speak for my own state and say that it demands the right and the privilege to be allowed to do the things which its sovereignty, its independence and its liberty says it may do.

"I say that my state will not only insist, but it will carry forward, at any and all hazards, its inherent governmental functions, and in doing this it stands in line with an unbroken chain of decisions coming down from the highest judicial body in the land, from the earliest day to the present.

"It will respect courts and court decisions. But as a condition precedent to all this, it demands that court decisions stay within well-marked lines and respect the sovereign power of these states in the regulation and control of their own purely internal commerce.

"At all times it asks these courts to be loyal to the scheme of [illegible] in the garb of a federal empire [illegible] features as hideous as though in the hands of a czar."

**Fowler Building New Biplane.**

Colfax, Cal., Sept. 15.—Aviator Robert G. Fowler and his mechanician began construction of a new biplane from the parts of the machine wrecked Tuesday, the second day of Fowler's flight from San Francisco to New York. New parts arrived from Ogden. Except for a slight soreness of one leg, Fowler is uninjured.

**Packing Plant Damaged by Fire.**

Kansas City, Sept. 15.—Fire, that for a time threatened the entire Fowler Packing company's plant in Kansas City, Kan., was controlled after it had destroyed the fertilizer and damaged the hog killing plant. The loss is estimated at $75,000.

# PRESIDENT TAFT STARTS ON TRIP

## Fifty-fourth Birthday Marks Beginning of Tour.

## SYRACUSE IS THE FIRST STOP

Trip Begins in Boston Tonight—Secretary Hilles, Major Butt, Dr. Rhoades, Two Stenographers, Three Secret Service Men in Party.

Beverly, Mass., Sept. 15.—President Taft will leave Beverly at 6 o'clock this evening on his second swing around the circle. In the opinion of many of his friends the trip promises to be one of the most important ever undertaken by a chief executive. He himself has said he will indulge in but little political discussion, but it is admitted that opportunity for such discussion will not merely be offered, but probably will be thrust upon him.

That the president's political fortunes may depend to some extent on this journey is agreed by many men close to the administration.

Two years ago today the president started from Beverly on his first transcontinental trip after entering the White House.

On the list for the present journey the president has set down the "tariff" and the "tariff board" as two subjects for set addresses. His vetoes of the wool bill, the cotton bill and the farmers' free list bill have not been set aside for separate speeches, but that they will be dealt with in the two general addresses is highly probable.

The trip will be about 13,000 miles in length. Twenty-four states will be visited and in eighteen the president will speak.

The trip begins in Boston tonight. Syracuse, N. Y., is the first stop. Washington will see the windup on Nov. 1. Secretary C. D. Hilles, Major A. W. Butt, Dr. Thomas L. Rhoades, the president's physician, two stenographers, three secret service men and nine newspaper reporters accompany the president.

## MAKES RECORD TROLLEY TRIP

Policeman Goes From New York to St. Louis in Five Days by Daylight.

St. Louis, Sept. 15.—From New York to St. Louis by trolley in five days, traveling only in the daytime, is the record made by Lieutenant William A. J. Koenig of the New York city police force and his wife. They started on a return trip. Koenig said the trip cost him $19.05 in street car fares, and only between Lafayette, Ind., and Danville, Ill., a distance of forty-seven miles, was he obliged to use a railroad train.

## FOOD RIOTS GROW SERIOUS

Prefect of Oise Calls for Reinforcements to Curb Mob.

Paris, Sept. 15.—Serious disturbances are reported from several sections as a result of the demonstrations against the high price of food. The most serious affair occurred at Creil, in the department of the Oise. A mob, which included some revolutionists, stoned the troops. Several were seriously injured. The prefect of Oise telegraphed to Paris for reinforcements. He says the mob is storming the barracks of the town.

**Leaves Wealth to the Poor.**

Mason City, Ia., Sept. 15.—The will of Ole Cloven, a bachelor farmer, just made public, leaves $50,000 for the erection of a home for aged poor in the center of his large farm. Only $1,000 is left to relatives.

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Sept. 14.—Closing prices: Wheat—Sept., 92⅜c; Dec., 96½@96⅝c. Corn—Sept., 68⅜c; Dec., 64⅝@64¾c. Oats—Sept., 42⅜c; Dec., 45⅞@46c. Pork—Jan., $15.95. Lard—Sept., $9.37½; Oct., $9.40. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, winter, 95@97c; No. 2 corn 68@68¾c; No. 2 white oats, 45@45½c.

**South Omaha Live Stock.**

South Omaha, Sept. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,100; steady; beef steers, $6.25@7.30; cows and heifers, $2.50@4.50; stockers and feeders, $3.00@4.90; bulls, $3.50@4.25; calves, $3.60@7.75. Hogs—Receipts, 4,200; strong; bulk of sales, $6.85@6.90, with one lot of best bacon hogs at $7.00. Sheep—Receipts 29,000; 10@15c higher; lambs are selling around $5.60@5.40, with feeders from $5.00 downward; heavy yearlings, both feeder and fat, are selling around $4.00, while desirable wethers are wanted at $3.50@3.75; fat ewes are moving around $3.25@3.35.

**Chicago Live Stock.**

Chicago, Sept. 14.—Cattle—Receipts 4,000; steady; beeves, $4.90@8.10; western steers, $4.00@7.00; stockers and feeders, $3.00@5.50; cows and heifers, $2.25@6.30; calves, $6.25@9.25. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; steady; light, $6.85@7.37½; mixed, $6.80@7.35; heavy, $6.65@7.30; rough, $6.65@6.85; pigs, $4.60@7.10; bulk, $6.90@7.25. Sheep—Receipts, 27,000; steady to 10c up; natives, $2.15@4.10; westerns, $2.50@4.10; yearlings, $3.70@4.65; lambs, $4.00@6.00.

# WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

FOR RENT—Two modern houses, close in. Inquire of A. S. Robey. 14-16

LOST—Lady's gold watch. Finder please leave at 605 North Mulberry or call Hanamo 139 or Bell 37. 14-16

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room cottage, close in. T. W. Costello, 321 North Market street. 5-tf

FOR SALE—Sixty acres or less with good improvements, one mile southwest of Maryville limits. J. J. Barr.

FOR SALE—McCormick corn binder, as good as new. T. W. Costello, 321 North Market street. 5-tf

FOR RENT—cottage of five rooms, corner Fourth and Buchanan. N. Sisson. tf

LOST—Bay horse, about 15 hands high. Wire cut on left front foot. Notify Democrat-Forum. 14-16

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Middle aged woman. J. W. Wiles, 803 North Mulberry street. 8-tf

PIANO TUNING—Mr. Adolph Huelker of St. Joseph will be in Maryville next week. Leave orders at the Conservatory. 14-16

FOUND—Bunch of keys, between court house and St. Patrick's church. Owner may have same by describing property and paying for this notice. 15

WE WANT you to know we are selling the McCormick binder twine at 8c per pound. The best in America. You know me. L. R. Holt. tf

LOST—Ladies' hand bag, between Sheridan and Maryville, Mo., via Parnell and Ravenwood. Return to Democrat-Forum and receive reward. 14-16

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey hogs of spring farrow, male and female, of no kin. Come and see them. A. B. Dowden, Maryville, Mo. R. F. D. 3. Farmers phone 1-13. 14-tf

HAVE YOU SEEN THEM?—Tail light and number pad, 9580 for automobile. Lost between Maryville and Rosendale on Maryville and Savannah road. Please phone any information to me. R. P. Hosmer, Maryville. 14-16

FOR SALE—Eighty acres 8½ miles northwest of Maryville, Mo., on rural route; telephone; good water, never fails. Call or address W. R. Logan, Maryville, Mo. R. No. 2. 28-16

FOR SALE—Dwelling with 9 rooms, pantry and bath, electric lights, on paved street, for only $3,000.

For rent—Several dwellings, one with furnace, bath and electric lights. R. L. M'DOUGAL.

Abstracts of title, insurance and loans.

FOR SALE—Seventy-five heating stoves, all sizes and kinds, also a large amount of other furniture. Anthony, the second-hand man. Hanamo phone 258 Red. Store 207 West Third street.

FOR SALE—Eight acres improved in Southeast Maryville. Lella Bonewitz, 1304 East Cooper street, Hanamo 493 Red. 9-tf

INSURE with Hyslop. Fire tornado (farm or city), plate glass, automobile liability, accident or damage, health. Contract and court bonds promptly executed.

PIANO BARGAIN—We have a practically new piano procured from the Maryville Publishing company, taken in part settlement for another instrument. In order to save further expense we will sell very cheap for cash or payments as low as $6.00 per month. For particulars write Olney Music Co., St. Joseph, Mo. 28-6&w-tf

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, cheap. Charles Hyslop. 10-tf

**Souvenirs.**

"Did you preserve souvenirs of your splendid tour of hospitable entertainment in America?"

"Yes," replied the distinguished foreign guest. "I mislaid some of the menus, but kept all the doctors' prescriptions.—Washington Star.

**Enjoyable Guests.**

Willis—Did they have a good time at your reception last night?

Gillis—Yes, the guests enjoyed it hugely. All my wife's arrangements went wrong.—Puck.


## Apples Wanted

Monday, September 18, we will commence packing Jonathans. Bring in your fruit.

P. J. LAHR, Agt.

At the old Banner Mills, corner Fifth and Fillmore.



## Say, Have You Ever

Bought any coal from Frank G. Shoemaker and had it delivered with the big white wagon? Those white wagons don't make a bad appearance on the streets of the city do they? And the horses look like they had enough to eat too. So do the drivers. The scales and yards are kept up in the same way, and that system of doing business makes it a legitimate mercantile business, like any other business of the city, and worthy of your patronage if prices and coals are right, and they are—because I am behind every pound of coal sold. If it is not right I will see that all is satisfactory or money refunded. Let me figure with you for your winter coal.

Yours truly,

F. G. SHOEMAKER, Sr.



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I have opened a law office in the J. B. Robinson building, first stairway north of the Nodaway Valley bank, where I can be found Saturday of each week. Will come any time by appointment. B. R. MARTIN, Maryville, Mo.

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Maryville, Mo.

**DR. G. H. LEACH,**
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Office, Star Barn. All phones

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Repairing Guns, Bicycles, Gas Engines and Automobiles.
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PLUMBING AND HEATING.
We Never Sleep.
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Your pump and repair work. Pumps, windmills, scales, etc., of all kinds repaired by E. J. Bailey, the pump man at Armstrong's foundry. Bell phone, office 114, residence 279; Hanamo, residence 259 Red.